



THE DERBY DISPATCH

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ROAD TO THE KENTUCKY DERBY CHAMPIONSHIP SERIES FEATURES STAKES TRIPLEHEADER SATURDAY

LOUISVILLE, Ky. (Thursday, March 7, 2019) – This week's Road to the Kentucky Derby features a stakes tripleheader on Saturday.

Originally, four races were scheduled but the San Felipe (Grade II) has been tabled while Santa Anita's track undergoes additional extensive testing.

The \$300,000 Gotham (GIII) at one mile begins Saturday's stakes procession at 5:09 p.m. (all times Eastern) and is followed by the \$400,000 Tampa Bay Derby (GII) at 1 1/16 miles at 5:25 p.m. and the \$200,000 Jeff Ruby Steaks (GIII) over 1 1/8 miles on Polytrack at 6:37 p.m.

Aqueduct's Gotham features the much-anticipated return of California-based **Instagrاند**, who won his two juvenile sprints last summer by a combined 20 lengths.

The Tampa Bay Derby is headlined by impressive Pasco winner **Win Win Win**, Sam F. Davis (GIII) hero **Well Defined** and runaway Fair Grounds allowance winner **Dream Maker**.

Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf (GI) third and John Battaglia Memorial winner **Somelikeithotbrown** is the horse to beat in the Jeff Ruby Steaks at Turfway Park.

Each lucrative race will help determine the lineup for this year's \$3 million Kentucky Derby Presented by Woodford Reserve (Grade I). A total of 85 points will be awarded to the top four finishers in the Gotham and Tampa Bay Derby: 50 to first, 20 to second, 10 to third and 5 to fourth. The Jeff Ruby Steaks point scale is 20-8-4-2.

Total points accrued by 3-year-old Thoroughbreds in Road to the Kentucky Derby races will ultimately determine the preference list for the 1 1/4-mile classic at Churchill Downs on Saturday, May 4.

Also thrown into Saturday's mix are a trio of Road to the Kentucky Oaks points-scoring races for 3-year-old fillies: the \$250,000 Busher over one mile at Aqueduct at 5:40 p.m.; the \$100,000 Bourbonette Oaks over one mile on Polytrack at Turfway Park at 5:51 p.m.; and the \$200,000 Honeybee (GIII) over 1 1/16 miles at Oaklawn Park at 6:09 p.m. – **Darren Rogers**

**NEXT RACE PLANS IN FLUX FOR BAFFERT DUO
GAME WINNER, IMPROBABLE FOLLOWING
SANTA ANITA CLOSURE** – Two of the top contenders for Kentucky Derby 145, Breeders' Cup Juvenile (Grade I) champion **Game Winner** and Los Alamitos Futurity (GI) winner **Improbable**, were originally scheduled to face one another in Saturday's San Felipe (GII) but following the postponement of the race, the two horses will breeze Sunday at Los Alamitos with their next race plans being determined

following the work, according to Hall of Fame trainer **Bob Baffert**.

One of the options for the two Grade I winners could be Oaklawn Park's Rebel (GII) on Saturday, March 16. On Wednesday, Oaklawn Park announced that if the Rebel drew 20 or more entrants, the race could be split in two divisions. Nominations close Friday and the race will draw Wednesday. If the split occurs, the purse will go from \$1 million to \$750,000 for each division.

In accordance with Road to the Kentucky Derby rules about split races, a total of 63.75 points would be distributed in each division – 37.5 to first, 15 to second, 7.5 to third and 3.75 to fourth. The points correspond with 75% of the original purse. – **Kevin Kerstein**

**INSTAGRاند GETS BACK TO WORK IN GOTHAM
AT AQUEDUCT** – Put away for the season after two authoritative victories to start his career last summer, **Instagrاند** gets back to work Saturday in the \$300,000 Gotham (GIII), a one-mile Road to the Kentucky Derby series prep at Aqueduct.

Winner on debut at Los Alamitos by 10 lengths in June, Instagrاند won by approximately the same margin in the six-furlong Best Pal (GII) at Del Mar in his next start for trainer **Jerry Hollendorfer**. It was decided soon after that Instagrاند would be put away for the rest of the season to prepare for a three-year-old campaign.

"We think we have him prepared (for stretching out in distance)," Hollendorfer said. "We're very happy to have Javier Castellano riding. I feel like our horse has speed and I think he can also rate if we have to."

While Instagrاند has yet to earn any Kentucky Derby qualifying points, rivals **Knicks Go** and **Mind Control** have both done so. Knicks Go won the Breeders' Cup Futurity (GI) at 70-1 and placed in the Breeders' Cup Juvenile (GI) at 40-1 last fall, but ran up the track in the Kentucky Jockey Club (GII) and Sam F. Davis (GIII) in his last two starts.

"I think he did need that last race, especially on that Tampa track which can be a little tiring at times," trainer **Ben Colebrook** said. "I think he'll like the configuration (at Aqueduct) but the surface is a question mark. He has tactical speed which will help him. Maybe now that he's in a race where he's not the favorite, like the last two, maybe he'll go back to the old Knicks Go."

Mind Control didn't earn any points by winning the Hopeful (GI) or finishing unplaced in the Juvenile, but earned 10 when registered a season-opening win in the \$150,000 Jerome on New Year's Day over the Gotham track and distance.

"He's going into this race better than he went into the Jerome in terms of maturity and filling out. He's really starting to put the muscle on in the right places," trainer **Gregory Sacco** said.

Front-running **Not That Brady** shortens up a furlong after finishing a game second in the Withers (GIII) last month. Stretching out from seven panels is **Haikal**, photo-finish winner of the \$150,000 Jimmy Winkfield last time, while **Bob Baffert** sends in stakes-placed allowance winner **Much Better**. The field is rounded out by **Tikhvin Flew** and **Family Biz**.

The Gotham awards Kentucky Derby qualifying points of 50-20-10-5 top the top four finishers, with the winner virtually assured of earning enough points to earn a Derby starting position. The Gotham can be watched and wagered on at TwinSpires.com. – *Vance Hanson/Brisnet.com*

DREAM MAKER, WIN WIN WIN BRING INTRIGUE TO 11-HORSE TAMPA BAY DERBY – **Dream Maker** returns to the stakes ranks after an 8 ½-length allowance romp and **Win Win Win** stretches out to two turns following a track record-setting performance. The promising 3-year-olds highlight a field of 11 in Saturday's \$400,000 Tampa Bay Derby (GII).

Contested at 1 1/16 miles, the Road to the Kentucky Derby series qualifier offers points on a 50-20-10-5 scale to the top four finishers.

Dream Maker romped when making his career debut at Churchill Downs last June but needed three months off before recording a disappointing fifth in the Hopeful (GI) at Saratoga. Trainer **Mark Casse** brought his charge back for the Breeders' Futurity (GI) at Keeneland five weeks later but Dream Maker never fired after being roughed up at the break, retreating to last as the 5-2 favorite.

Unraced for four months, the gray son of Tapit opened his 3-year-old campaign with a scintillating display of superiority at Fair Grounds. Dream Maker netted a 91 BRIS Speed rating winning a 1 1/16-mile allowance and was flattered when the runner-up came back to win. **Florent Geroux** will be back aboard.

Win Win Win posted an impressive 7 ¼-length tally in the seven-furlong Pasco at Tampa Bay Downs on Jan. 19 and registered a field-best last-out BRIS Speed figure (101). A Florida-bred son of Hat Trick, the dark bay colt does his best running from off the pace and **Irad Ortiz Jr.** picks up the mount for **Michael Trombetta**.

Sam F. Davis (GIII) upsetter **Well Defined** also rates as a major contender. The gelding has proven to be an all-or-nothing type for **Kathleen O'Connell**, recording three convincing wire-to-wire stakes wins when he makes the early lead and a pair of unplaced finishes in the Breeders' Cup Juvenile and Mucho Macho Man Stakes when he doesn't, and there isn't an abundance of speed in the Tampa Bay Derby field. Well Defined steps up to face better off a sharp performance but remains a threat to lead all the way with **Pablo Morales**.

Other runners of interest include **Tacitus**, a **Bill Mott**-trained Tapit colt who will make his first appearance since a good-looking maiden win at Aqueduct in November; **Outshine** and **The Right Path**, the one-two finishers from a recent allowance at Gulfstream Park; and Swale (GIII) runner-up **Zelden**. – *James Scully/TwinSpires.com*

SOMELIKEITHOTBROWN INSTALLED AS 8-5 FAVORITE IN JEFF RUBY STEAKS – **Skychai Racing** and **Sand Dollar Stables'** Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf (Grade I) third-place finisher **Somelikeithotbrown** was installed as the 8-5 morning line favorite for Saturday's Jeff Ruby Steaks (GIII) – run at 1 1/8 miles over the Polytrack surface at Turfway Park in Florence, Ky.

Trained by **Mike Maker**, Somelikeithotbrown enters the Jeff Ruby Steaks following a victory in Turfway's local prep for the race – the \$75,000 John Battaglia Memorial. The colt by Big Brown sports a 6-2-2-1 record with \$246,918 in earnings but is in search of his first graded stakes score.

Among the competitors to Somelikeithotbrown in the Jeff Ruby Steaks is undefeated colt **Skywire** for owners **Gary Barber** and **Lucio Tucci**. Trained by **Mark Casse**, Skywire is 2-for-2 in his young career with a maiden victory in December at Woodbine and a six-length score in an off the turf, first level allowance, race at Gulfstream Park.

Skywire, is hoping to be only the second horse in at least 10 years to win the 1 1/8-mile race after exiting a win on the dirt. The other horse to do so was **Went the Day Well** in 2012.

The Jeff Ruby Steaks will award points to the Top 4 finishers in the race on a 20-8-4-2 scale. Post time for the race is 5:51 p.m. EST. – *Kevin Kerstein*

COURSE SPECIALISTS WIN EUROPEAN ROAD TO KENTUCKY DERBY SEREIS PREPS – The European Road to the Kentucky Derby wound its way through England and Ireland in the span of 20 minutes Wednesday evening, with course specialists winning the Road to the Kentucky Derby Conditions Stakes at Kempton Park and Patton Stakes at Dundalk.

Both the Road to the Kentucky Derby Condition Stakes and Patton offered qualifying points of 20-8-4-2 to the top four finishers in the European Road to the Kentucky Derby series. The highest point earner in the series will earn an invitation to participate in the Kentucky Derby (GI).

Jahbath, an odds-on favorite in both England and in the U.S. pools, won for the third time in as many starts at Kempton when taking the Road to the Kentucky Derby Conditions Stakes by two lengths under **Jim Crowley**. **Getchagetgetcha** finished second by a half-length over **Target Zone**, with **Chairmanoftheboard** a neck behind in fourth.

Owned by **Hamdan Al Maktoum** and trained by **William Haggas**, Jahbath paid \$2.60 in the U.S. pool and covered one mile on the all-weather track in 1:38.78. A son of Mukhadram, Jahbath has now won four of five starts overall. However, the bay is not currently Triple Crown nominated. The only current nominee in the field, **Spanish Mission**, finished fifth.

At Dundalk, **Playa Del Puente** edged **Western Australia** by a half-length to win the Patton Stakes, also over one mile on the all-weather. **Numerian** and **Van Beethoven** finished third and fourth, respectively.

Owned by **Huang Kai Wen** and trained by **Mick Halford**, Playa Del Puente covered the course in 1:37.37 under **Ronan Whelan** and paid \$6.40 in the U.S. pool. Third in his debut last August at The Curragh on turf, Playa Del Puente has won his last three in succession at Dundalk.

Like Jahbath, Playa Del Puente is not currently nominated to the Triple Crown. Western Australia, whose run through the stretch was hampered from a bump by tiring leader **Colfer**

Me, and fourth-place finisher Van Beethoven are. The **Coolmore**-owned duo earned eight points and two points, respectively. Western Australia now has a total of 10 points in the series. Points earned by non-Triple Crown nominees can be retroactively restored once the earners are made nominated.

The final European Road to the Kentucky Derby series prep will take place April 11 at Chelmsford City, England. The Cardinal Condition Stakes will offer qualifying points of 30-12-6-3 to the top four finishers. – **Vance Hanson/Brisnet.com**

MEYDAN SUPER SATURDAY PROGRAM FEATURES ESTIHDAAF IN UAE DERBY PREP – The major prep for the March 30 UAE Derby (Grade II) will be held Saturday at Meydan Racecourse with the Al Bastakiya and features UAE 2000 Guineas (GIII) winner **Estihdaaf**.

Owned by **Godolphin** and trained by world-class horseman **Saeed bin Suroor**, Estihdaaf stamped himself as one of the top contenders to the UAE Derby – a race on the Road to the Kentucky Derby Championship Series that will offer 100 points to the winner – following his 5 ½-length score in the one-mile Guineas.

The Al Bastakiya will go as Race 2 with a post time of 7:35 a.m. EST. – **Kevin Kerstein**

DERBY DETAIL

WATCHING THE WEATHER – Below is a look at the **National Weather Service** forecast for this weekend's Road to the Kentucky Derby and Road to the Kentucky Oaks Championship Series races.

Track	Location	Weather	Race
Aqueduct	Queens, NY	Mostly sunny, with a high near 42.	Gotham Stakes, Busher
Oaklawn	Hot Springs, Ark.	Showers mainly before noon. High near 72. Chance of precipitation is 90%.	Honeybee
Tampa Bay Downs	Tampa, Fla.	Mostly sunny, with a high near 82.	Tampa Bay Derby
Turfway	Florence, Ky.	Showers, with thunderstorms. High near 55. Chance of precipitation is 90%	Jeff Ruby Steaks, Bourbonette Oaks

DERBY TRAIL SETBACKS – The Road to the Kentucky Derby will have many ups and downs prior to the first Saturday in May. This week it was announced Southwest Stakes (Grade III) winner **Super Steed** will miss the Triple Crown season with bone bruising, according to his trainer **Larry Jones**.

Also sidelined this week was Fountain of Youth (GII) fifth-place finisher **Global Campaign**, who will receive time off after grabbing a quarter during the race, according to trainer **Stan Hough**.

Another horse suffering a minor setback was Smarty Jones Stakes (GIII) winner **Gray Attempt**. The speedy colt, who finished last in the Southwest, could make it back on the Derby trail in the April 13 Arkansas Derby (GI), according to trainer **Jinks Fires**.

ADDITIONAL TRIPLE CROWN NEWS – Hopeful Stakes (GI) runner-up and recent allowance winner **Mucho** will target the seven-furlong Bayshore (GIII) on April 6 at Aqueduct, according to Hall of Fame trainer **Bill Mott**. ... Churchill Downs will once again host Champions Day presented by TwinSpires on Tuesday, April 30. The event will feature a special autograph session with legendary jockeys and trainers with a collectible poster to support the Thoroughbred Aftercare Alliance. For more information about Champions Day and to purchase tickets, visit: <https://www.churchilldowns.com/calendar/2019-04-30>. ... The backstretch at Churchill Downs is scheduled to open on Tuesday, March 19 with the first day of training scheduled on Friday, March 22. Stall applications are due Friday.

UPCOMING ROAD TO THE DERBY RACES

Date	Race	Track	Top 4 Points
March 9	Gotham	Aqu	50-20-10-5
March 9	Tampa Bay Derby	Tam	50-20-10-5
March 9	Jeff Ruby Steaks	TP	20-8-4-2
March 16	Rebel	OP	50-20-10-5
March 23	Louisiana Derby	FG	100-40-20-10
March 24	Sunland Derby	Sun	50-20-10-5
March 30	UAE Derby	Meydan	100-40-20-10
March 30	Florida Derby	GP	100-40-20-10
March 31	Fukuryu#	Nakayama	40-16-8-4
April 6	Wood Memorial	Aqu	100-40-20-10
April 6	Blue Grass	Kee	100-40-20-10
April 6	Santa Anita Derby	SA	100-40-20-10
April 11	Cardinal Condition*	Chelmsford	30-12-6-3
April 13	Arkansas Derby	OP	100-40-20-10
April 13	Lexington	Kee	20-8-4-2

Japan Road to the Kentucky Derby

* European Road to the Kentucky Derby

ROAD TO THE KENTUCKY DERBY TOP 25

#	Horse	Trainer	Points
1.	War of Will	Mark Casse	60
2.	Code of Honor	Shug McGaughey III	54
3.	Game Winner	Bob Baffert	30
4.	Bourbon War	Mark Hennig	21
5.	Country House	Bill Mott	20
6.	Knicks Go	Ben Colebrook	18
7.	Signalman	Kenny McPeck	18
8.	Gunmetal Gray	Jerry Hollendorfer	18
9.	Long Range Toddy	Steve Asmussen	16
10.	Mucho Gusto	Bob Baffert	14
11.	Tax	Danny Gargan	12
12.	Mind Control	Gregg Sacco	10
13.	Improbable	Bob Baffert	10
14.	Harvey Wallbanger	Kenny McPeck	10
15.	Well Defined	Kathleen O'Connell	10
16.	Vekoma	George Weaver	10
17.	Gray Attempt	Jinks Fires	10
18.	Another twistafate	Blaine Wright	10
19.	Roiland	Tom Amoss	10
20.	Hog Creek Hustle	Vickie Foley	9
21.	Sueno	Keith Desormeaux	8
22.	Our Braintrust	Mark Casse	6
23.	Hidden Scroll	Bill Mott	5
24.	Bankit	Steve Asmussen	4
25.	Everfast	Dale Romans	4

THE RUNDOWN

AL BASTAKIYA

Saturday, March 9, \$300,000, 3yo, 1 3/16 M, Meydan Racecourse, Dubai, Top 4 Points: 0-0-0-0. Post time: 7:35 a.m. EST

# Horse	Jockey	Trainer	ML
1. Tone Broke	Mickael Barzalona	Steve Asmussen	15-1
2. +Shanty Star	Bernardo Pinheiro	Rashed Bouresly	20-1
3. +Divine Image	Brett Doyle	Charlie Appleby	9-2
4. +The Song of John	Richard Mullen	Satish Seemar	8-1
5. +Moshaher	Patrick Dobbs	Doug Watson	12-1
6. +Al Hayette	Fabrice Veron	Ismail Mohammed	20-1
7. +Fintas (GB)	Shane Kelly	Richard Hughes	30-1
8. Superior	Connor Beasley	Ahmad bin Harmash	15-1
9. +Al Shamkhah	Royston Ffrench	Salem bin Ghadayer	30-1
10. +Grecko (ARG)	Frankie Dettori	Kenny McPeck	10-1
11. +Red Cactus	Elione Chaves	Bent Olsen	15-1
12. +Manguzi (FR)	Connor Beasley	Ali Rashid Al Rayhi	10-1
13. +Estihdaaf	Patrick Cosgrove	Saeed bin Suroor	2-1
14. +Tabarak	Adrie de Vries	Rashed Bouresly	15-1

GOTHAM (GIII)

Saturday, March 9, \$300,000, 3yo, 1 M, Aqueduct (R10), Ozone, N.Y., Top 4 Points: 50-20-10-5. Post time: 5:09 p.m. EST. TV: TVG, Fox Sports 2

# Horse	Jockey	Trainer	ML
1. Family Biz	Kendrick Carmouche	Ed Barker	30-1
2. Knicks Go	Jose Lezcano	Ben Colebrook	12-1
3. Mind Control	John Velazquez	Gregg Sacco	9-2
4. Much Better	Mike Smith	Bob Baffert	10-1
5. Haikal	Rajiv Maragh	Kiaran McLaughlin	6-1
6. Instagrاند	Javier Castellano	Jerry Hollendorfer	1-1
7. Not That Brady	Reylu Gutierrez	Rudy Rodriguez	5-1
8. Tikhvin Flew	Dylan Davis	Steve Asmussen	12-1

TAMPA BAY DERBY (GII)

Saturday, March 9, \$400,000, 3yo, 1 1/16 M, Tampa Bay Downs (R11), Oldsmar, Fla., Top 4 Points: 50-20-10-5. Post time: 5:25 p.m. EST. TV: TVG, Fox Sports 2

# Horse	Jockey	Trainer	ML
1. Admire	Robby Albarado	Dale Romans	12-1
2. Sir Winston	Julien Lejaroux	Mark Casse	12-1
3. Lord Dragon	Jose Bracho	Jordan Blair	30-1
4. Dream Maker	Florent Geroux	Mark Casse	4-1
5. Well Defined	Pablo Morales	Kathy O'Connell	7-2
6. Outshine	Joel Rosario	Todd Pletcher	8-1
7. Win Win Win	Irad Ortiz Jr.	Mike Trombetta	5-2
8. The Right Path	Joe Bravo	Jorge Duarte Jr.	15-1
9. Dunph	Daniel Centeno	Mike Maker	20-1
10. Tacitus	Jose Ortiz	Bill Mott	12-1
11. Zenden	Samy Camacho	Victor Barboza Jr.	8-1

BUSHER INVITATIONAL

Saturday, March 9, \$250,000, 3yo Fillies, 1 M Aqueduct (R11), Ozone, N.Y., Top 4 Points: 50-20-10-5. Post time: 5:40 p.m. EST. TV: TVG, Fox Sports 2

# Horse	Jockey	Trainer	ML
1. Ujjayi	Tyler Connor	Erin McClellan	10-1
2. Espresso Shot	Eric Cancel	Jorje Abreu	8-1
3. Oxy Lady	Javier Castellano	Jack Sistonson	5-1
4. Enliven	Dylan Davis	Kiaran McLaughlin	15-1
5. It Justhithe Wire	Rajiv Maragh	Kiaran McLaughlin	30-1
6. Excess Capacity	Jose Lezcano	Steve Asmussen	30-1
7. Filly Joel	Jeffrey Sanchez	Rudy Rodriguez	8-1
8. ++Dovey Lovey	Junior Alvarado	Gary Contessa	20-1
9. Shelley Ann	Reylu Gutierrez	Jimmy Jerkens	20-1
10. Please Flatter Me	Alex Cintron	Mark Reid	3-1
11. Always Shopping	Manny Franco	Todd Pletcher	4-1
12. Orra Moor	John Velazquez	Todd Pletcher	6-1

BOURBONETTE OAKS

Saturday, March 9, \$100,000, 3yo Fillies, 1 M (Polytrack), Turfway Park (R10), Florence, Ky., Top 4 Points: 20-8-4-2. Post time: 5:51 p.m. EST. TV: TVG

# Horse	Jockey	Trainer	ML
1. ++Crafty's Dream	Rolando Aragon	Michael Evans	12-1
2. Naughty Joker	Rafael Bejarano	Wesley Ward	9-2
3. ++Birdie	Abel Lezcano	Juan Fernandez	8-1
4. ++New Roo	Luan Machado	Tommy Drury Jr.	15-1
5. Into Trouble	Rafael Mojica Jr.	Ben Colebrook	4-1
6. ++Red Rounder	Rodney Prescott	Mike Maker	5-1
7. ++Channel Princess	Perry Ouzts	Michael Ann Ewing	6-1
8. ++Malibu Party	John McKee	Tracey Young	20-1
9. ++Unapologetic Me	Tyler Gaffalione	Mike Maker	6-1
10. Fun Finder	Brian Hernandez Jr.	Kenny McPeck	8-1
11. ++Diva Day	Malcom Franklin	Tommy Drury Jr.	15-1
12. ++Gold Credit	Declan Cannon	Ignacio Correias IV	6-1

HONEYBEE (GIII)

Saturday, March 9, \$200,000, 3yo Fillies, 1 1/16 M, Oaklawn Park, Hot Springs, Ark., Top 4 Points: 50-20-10-5. Post time: 6:09 p.m. EST. TV: TVG, Fox Sports 2

# Horse	Jockey	Trainer	ML
1. Perfect Reins	Richard Eramia	Steve Asmussen	15-1
2. Motion Emotion	Jon Court	Tom Van Berg	3-1
3. Sunset Wish	Ramon Vazquez	Mike Stidham	6-1
4. Bizwhacks	Mario Gutierrez	Doug O'Neill	12-1
5. Chocolate Kisses	Orlando Mojica	Mark Casse	4-1
6. Power Gal (JPN)	David Cohen	Mark Casse	9-2
7. Raintree Starlet	Alex Canchari	Brian Williamson	6-1
8. Ultimate Mo	David Cabrera	D. Wayne Lukas	12-1
9. Marathon Queen	Ricardo Santana Jr.	Steve Asmussen	6-1
10. ++Best Kept Secret	Kevin Smith	Benard Chatters	30-1

JEFF RUBY STEAKS (GIII)

Saturday, March 9, \$200,000, 3yo, 1 1/8 M (Polytrack), Turfway Park (R11), Florence, Ky., Top 4 Points: 20-8-4-2. Post time: 6:37 p.m. EST. TV: TVG

# Horse	Jockey	Trainer	ML
1. +Dynamic Racer	Pede Prentice Jr.	Ronald Kahles	15-1
2. Moonster	John McKee	Dale Romans	20-1
3. Five Star General	Declan Cannon	Arnaud Delacour	6-1
4. Dabo	Luan Machado	Dale Romans	10-1
5. +Baytown Jimbo	Alexis Achard	Paul McEntee	20-1
6. Skywire	Gary Boulanger	Mark Casse	3-1
7. Counter Offer	Malcom Franklin	Ian Wilkes	10-1
8. +Twelfthofneverland	Sheldon Russell	Ray Handal	12-1
9. +Curlin Grey	Brian Hernandez Jr.	Kenny McPeck	10-1
10. Somelikeithotbrown	Tyler Gaffalione	Mike Maker	8-5
11. Speed App	Walter De La Cruz	D. Wayne Lukas	30-1

+Not Triple Crown Nominated

++Not Kentucky Oaks Nominated

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SPOTLIGHT HORSE: CODE OF HONOR

- **Code of Honor** stamped himself as a Kentucky Derby (Grade I) contender following his late-closing victory in last Saturday's Fountain of Youth (GII) at Gulfstream Park. Owned by longtime horseman **Will Farish** and trained by veteran and Hall of Fame conditioner **Shug McGaughey**, Code of Honor could be following the path of former stablemate, and Kentucky Derby-winning colt **Orb**, to the first Saturday in May.
- **Owner information:** **Will Farish** is a native of Houston, Texas and a lifelong horseman. Farish owns **Lanes End Farm**, one of the top sales and breeding companies in the world. Farish began owning racehorses in the 1960s and has since bred champions **Mineshaft**, **A.P. Indy**, **Charismatic** and **Lemon Drop Kid**. The former chairman of the board of Churchill Downs from 1992-2001, Farish has served a steward, vice chairman of the Jockey Club and a member of the Board of Directors at Keeneland. In 2001, Farish was appointed by President **George W. Bush** as the United States Ambassador to the Court of St. James.
- **Trainer information:** Claude Ray "Shug" McGaughey III has trained horses for 40 years and has won nearly every race in the U.S. including the 2013 Kentucky Derby with **Orb**. McGaughey, a native of Lexington, was inducted into the Hall of Fame in 2004 – an achievement that encapsulated his career of campaigning champions **Personal Ensign** and **Easy Goer** along with Hall of Famer **Lure**. McGaughey, known for his quiet demeanor, was prominent in the 1989 Triple Crown with Easy Goer who was the runner-up to **Sunday Silence** in both the Kentucky Derby and Preakness Stakes prior to his Belmont score over that rival. McGaughey has amassed 2,050 victories with his horses earning \$145,692,479. – **Kevin Kerstein**

SCULLY'S KENTUCKY DERBY REPORT

CODE OF HONOR REBOUNDS, BOURBON WAR FINISHES FAST

Code of Honor orchestrated a turnaround in Saturday's Fountain of Youth (GII), shrugging off a well-beaten fourth earlier in the Gulfstream Park meet to post a 9-1 upset, and the 50-point prize virtually guarantees a berth in a 20-horse Kentucky Derby field. John Velazquez was up for **Shug McGaughey** on the **Will Farish** homebred.

Bourbon War enhanced his reputation as well with a fast-closing second and will take plenty of betting action when stretching out to 1 1/8 miles for his final Kentucky Derby prep race. Circumstances didn't go as planned for 6-5 favorite **Hidden Scroll**, who dueled through fast fractions with a hopeless longshot before weakening to fourth.

BRIS Speed numbers have been down for Kentucky Derby hopefuls this year and the Fountain of Youth didn't come back fast. Code of Honor registered a 95 Speed figure, only the second winner this century who failed to reach triple digits, but remains eligible to improve upon the confidence-builder. He definitely appeared to need the race from a fitness perspective.

Speed ratings can increase dramatically as 3-year-olds build toward the first Saturday in May and 2013 Kentucky Derby victor **Orb**, who was also trained by McGaughey, serves as a prime example. Orb garnered only an 89 BRIS Speed rating when opening his 3-year-old season with an allowance victory at Gulfstream but came back to post a 102 Speed winning the Fountain of Youth next out.

Four qualifiers in the Road to the Kentucky Derby series were scheduled for this Saturday (March 9) but Santa Anita has canceled racing this week to evaluate track issues, delaying an anticipated showdown between top-ranked **Bob Baffert**-trained stablemates **Game Winner** and **Improbable** in the San Felipe (GII). No indication when the race will be rescheduled.

The Tampa Bay Derby (GII) and Gotham (GIII) at Aqueduct are worth a total of 85 points to the top four finishers (50-20-10-5) and the Jeff Ruby Steaks (GIII) on Turfway Park's Polytrack offers 34 (20-8-4-2).

Pool 3 of the Kentucky Derby Future Wager begins Friday and closes Sunday at 6 p.m. (ET).

Fountain of Youth

Code of Honor showed some speed leaving the starting gate from his rail post and eased back on the first turn to sit a good stalking trip in fifth, about eight lengths behind a blistering early pace in :22.80 and :45.69. Fractions were nearly a second faster than a Grade II sprint event the race before and Code of Honor took advantage while accelerating into contention on the far turn.

Hidden Scroll was still clinging to a short lead in upper stretch but Code of Honor easily dismissed the tiring pacesetter and opened up a clear lead. Bourbon War rallied with a flourish on the far outside to make it interesting late, but Code of Honor held to win by three-quarters of a length.

A smart debut maiden winner at Saratoga, Code of Honor fell out of the starting gate but rebounded to finish a solid second in the Champagne (GI) next out. Installed as the 5-1 third choice on the Breeders' Cup Juvenile morning line, he

was forced to scratch the morning of the race due to a fever. McGaughey planned to reroute the colt to the Remsen (GII) at Aqueduct in early December but removed him consideration after a subpar workout the week of the race.

Code of Honor returned from a three-month layoff as the 4-5 favorite in the Jan. 5 Mucho Macho Man at a one-turn mile but never made an impact, retreating through the stretch to finish nearly eight lengths back in fourth. He was freshened 56 days in advance of the 1 1/16-mile Fountain and McGaughey attributed the improved performance to aggressive training preparations: "After the Mucho Macho Man, I said listen, we're going to train him. If he takes it he takes it, and he took it. He was good with what we were putting into him, so we kept doing it and we felt like he was going to come down here (from Payson Park training center) and run well."

Code of Honor has stamina and turf influences in his sire line. He's by Noble Mission, a son of Galileo and full brother to unbeaten European superstar and fast-rising sire Frankel. Code of Honor's broodmare sire (Dixie Union) produced Belmont Stakes winner Union Rags, but the immediate female family raises some concern for distances past nine furlongs. His dam, Reunited, captured the six-furlong Thoroughbred Club of America (GIII) and raced exclusively in sprints during her 10-race career. She hails from Tivli, a stakes-winning daughter of Mt. Livermore (sire of champion sprinters Housebuster and Orientate) who never raced past 6 1/2 furlongs from her 24 career starts.

When asked about added ground, McGaughey highlighted the sire and his pupil's disposition: "I don't think distance will be a problem at all...(Code of Honor) is a very efficient kind of horse in the way he moves."

The 1 1/16-mile distance at Gulfstream features a short stretch (wire at the sixteenth pole) and Code of Honor took advantage of the configuration, appearing spent as Bourbon War blew past him in the gallop out between finishing poles. But considering he got little out of only one start over the previous five months, the lightly-raced sophomore had reason to be tired after passing an extreme class check.

The chestnut possesses tactical speed and displayed a keen turn of foot while cornering better than Bourbon War, and the Fountain of Youth was his first two-turn start. The top two are under serious consideration for the \$1 million Florida Derby (GI) at Gulfstream on March 30 and Bourbon War will be the shorter price again if both show up.

Unlike the winner, Bourbon War was exiting an encouraging performance over the track. The **Mark Hennig**-trained Tapit colt powerfully dispatched entry-level allowance foes in mid-January and registered commendable BRIS Speed (96) and Late Pace (107) numbers for the 2 1/4-length decision. Bettors hammered him down to the 4-1 third choice from a 10-1 morning line on Saturday.

Bourbon War reached the far turn almost two lengths behind Code of Honor and lost ground to his rival through the bend. He started making headway approaching the stretch and when **Irad Ortiz Jr.** guided his mount extremely wide, Bourbon War responded with a visually-impressive closing kick in the straightaway.

He was the only one finishing at the end and ran out of room on the wire. Bourbon War established himself as major Kentucky Derby contender in the process and it was easy to come away bullish on his chances, but fast finishes for a minor award can be misleading sometimes because the horses in

front are stopping. Bourbon War remains a developing type with an abundance of potential this spring.

Hidden Scroll was knocked sideways leaving the starting gate by the horse to his immediate outside and **Joel Rosario** hustled his mount to establish forward position after the rough beginning. That didn't work out well for an inexperienced colt. Hidden Scroll took his cue and set sail for the lead, outgunning 132-1 longshot **Gladiator King**, who eventually weakened to last after being run into submission by the overwhelming favorite.

Bill Mott thought Hidden Scroll would be tractable enough to sit second behind a horse like Gladiator King and came away disappointed by his charge's antics, but he recognized the silver lining and will keep the well-bred **Juddmonte Farms** homebred on the Kentucky Derby trail. Hidden Scroll performed like an enormous talent in his debut, winning wire-to-wire in a fast time (102 BRIS Speed rating), and kept fighting Saturday despite shortening stride by the completion of the far turn. Considering how tired he appeared, I was surprised to see Hidden Scroll nearly outfinish **Vekoma**, who got up in the final stride for third as the 3-1 second choice.

Hidden Scroll figures to benefit greatly from the experience and whether it's turf or dirt, the well-bred Hard Spun colt looks capable of winning big races down the road if he remains healthy. We'll learn in the coming weeks whether he has the mental fortitude for a legitimate Kentucky Derby bid.

Other 3-year-olds of interest

Roadster returned in outstanding condition on March 1, squaring off against four foes in a Santa Anita entry-level allowance at a two-turn mile. Unraced since a third in the Del Mar Futurity (GI) on March 1, the **Speedway Stables** color bearer stalked the pace up close and advanced to collar the pacesetter leaving the far turn. He took a short lead while still under a hold in upper stretch and when **Mike Smith** asked for run, Roadster drew away sharply and won geared down late by a 2 1/2-length margin. There was plenty to like about this performance and Roadster is in the barn of five-time Kentucky Derby winner Bob Baffert. A gray son of Quality Road, Roadster has the pedigree for longer distances being a half-brother to Ascend, winner of the 1 1/4-mile Woodford Reserve Manhattan (GI); and Moro Tap, who placed in the 1 1/2-mile Louisville H. (GIII). It will be interesting to see where Roadster winds up next.

Runner-up **Nolo Contesto** received a rough trip, stuck down on the inside most of the way, but appeared to be hitting his best stride late and galloped out well after the finish line. I don't know why **John Sadler** didn't ship the Jan. 4 maiden winner out of town for another prep race after scratching him from the Feb. 2 Robert B. Lewis due to sloppy track conditions, with Nolo Contesto missing no time on the worktab as he essentially waited a month for this allowance race, but the Pioneer of the Nile ridgling remains a nice prospect for **Hronis Racing**.

Previews

Instagrand broke his maiden by 10 lengths the first time out and followed with a spectacular 10 1/4-length victory in the Best Pal (GII) at Del Mar. A \$1.2 million 2-year-old sales purchase, the son of Into Mischief remained on the worktab for the next

few weeks before owner **Larry Best** announced the exciting colt would be given the rest of the year.

He returned to the worktab in late December for **Jerry Hollendorfer** and the one-turn mile Gotham distance should benefit Instagrاند, who appears capable of overwhelming the competition off the layoff.

The Tampa Bay Derby looks like a good betting race. **Win Win Win** registered a 101 BRIS Speed rating for a track record-setting victory in the seven-furlong Pasco at Tampa Bay Downs and looms a major contender if handles the stretch out to two turns. **Well Defined** catches a field lacking early speed following a comfortable wire-to-wire upset in the Sam F. Davis (GIII) and is unbeaten from a pair of two-turn starts when able to dictate the pace. **Dream Maker** rates as another top threat following an 8 1/2-length allowance triumph at Fair Grounds.

Breeders' Cup Juvenile Turf (GI) third-placer **Somelikeithotbrown** made a seamless transition to synthetic like so many turf horses do when capturing the Feb. 15 John Battaglia Memorial by open lengths and will be the one to beat among 11 rivals in the Jeff Ruby Steaks.

Scully's Kentucky Derby Top 10

1. IMPROBABLE: Appears headed to the Rebel following San Felipe cancellation
2. GAME WINNER: Expected to join stablemate Improbable in the Rebel
3. COUNTRY HOUSE: Risen Star runner-up brings closing kick to Louisiana Derby
4. WAR OF WILL: Seeks sweep of Fair Grounds prep races in Louisiana Derby
5. CODE OF HONOR: Restored lost luster in Fountain of Youth upset
6. BOURBON WAR: Fountain of Youth runner-up displayed dynamic late run
7. ROADSTER: Established himself as one to watch recording sharp allowance win off shelf
8. HIDDEN SCROLL: Talented colt's lack of maturity showed in Fountain of Youth
9. GUNMETAL GRAY: Grade III winner has been rallying into paceless races
10. MAXIMUM SECURITY: Fast but unproven type to try a Kentucky Derby qualifier next time

LONGINES KENTUCKY OAKS UPDATE

HONEYBEE TOPS SATURDAY TRIO OF OAKS RACES – Oaklawn Park's \$200,000 Honeybee (Grade III) tops a trio of Road to the Kentucky Oaks Championship Series races from around the nation that will be staged on Saturday afternoon.

The 1 1/16-mile Honeybee, which attracted a solid cast of 10 fillies, is led by the Top 2 finishers in the Feb. 2 Martha Washington – **Gary Barber's Power Gal (JPN)** and **Alex and Joann Lieblong's Marathon Queen**.

The Honeybee will award points to the Top 4 finishers on a 50-20-10-5 scale for the May 3 Longines Kentucky Oaks (GI). Post time for the race is 6:09 p.m. (all times Eastern).

The Road to the Kentucky Oaks also will make a stop in Ozone Park, N.Y. for the one-mile Busher Invitational. Similar to the Honeybee, the Busher also will award the Top 4 finishers 50-20-10-5 points.

The field of 12 fillies is topped by **Repole Stable's** Busanda Stakes winner **Always Shopping** – one of two entrants in the race for trainer **Todd Pletcher**. Joining Always Shopping in the starting gate is her stablemate, flashy allowance winner **Orra Moor** for the **Starladies Racing** syndicate.

The Busanda is carded as Aqueduct's 11th race with a scheduled post time of 5:40 p.m.

Saturday's action on the Road to the Kentucky Oaks will conclude in the Bourbonette Oaks – run at one mile over the synthetic surface at Turfway Park in Florence, Ky.

The Bourbonette Oaks, which will award points to the Top 4 finishers on a 20-8-4-2 scale, features Churchill Downs' all-time leading owners **Ken and Sarah Ramsey's** highly-touted maiden winner **Naughty Joker** for trainer **Wesley Ward**.

LATE OAKS NOMINATIONS DUE APRIL 13 – The late nomination process to the Longines Kentucky Oaks will remain open until April 13. A \$1,500 payment can be made by mailing a late nomination form: <https://www.churchilldowns.com/horsemen/stakes/nominations-forms/> or by calling Churchill Downs assistant racing secretary and stakes coordinator **Dan Bork** at (502) 636-4470.

KENTUCKY OAKS NEWS AND NOTES – Trainer **John Servis** stated champion **Jaywalk** could return in the March 30 Gulfstream Park Oaks (GII) or April 7 Ashland (GI) following her fourth-place finish in last Saturday's Davona Dale. ... Trainer **Chad Brown** told Churchill Downs officials that he plans to late nominate **Dunbar Road** to the Longines Kentucky Oaks following her dominate maiden victory on Sunday at Gulfstream Park. ... **Aridel's** Davona Dale runner-up **Cookie Dough** and Busher Stakes entrant **Filly Joel** also plan to late nominate to the Kentucky Oaks, according to Churchill Downs assistant racing secretary and stakes coordinator **Dan Bork**. ... Nominations to the Survivor's Parade on Kentucky Oaks Day close March 17. For more information about the Survivor's Parade, visit: <https://www.kentuckyderby.com/visit/derby-week/oaks/survivors-parade>. – **Kevin Kerstein**

ROAD TO THE LONGINES KENTUCKY OAKS TOP 20

#	Horse	Trainer	Points
1.	Serengeti Empress	Tom Amoss	60
2.	Jeltrin	Alexis Delgado	50
3.	Jaywalk	John Servis	35
4.	Bellafina	Simon Callaghan	32
5.	Liora	Wayne Catalano	31
6.	Restless Rider	Kenny McPeck	22
7.	\$-Cookie Dough	Stan Gold	20
8.	Eres Tu	Steve Asmussen	14
9.	Champagne Anyone	Ian Wilkes	13
10.	Chasing Yesterday	Bob Baffert	10
11.	Positive Spirit	Rodolphe Brisset	10
12.	Needs Supervision	Jerry O'Dwyer	10
13.	Feedback	Chad Brown	10
14.	Power Gal (JPN)	Mark Casse	10
15.	Point of Honor	George Weaver	10
16.	Always Shopping	Todd Pletcher	10
17.	Vibrance	Michael McCarthy	8
18.	Enaya Alrabb	Doug O'Neill	8
19.	Mother Mother	Bob Baffert	7
20.	\$-Filly Joel	Rudy Rodriguez	6

§ Notified Churchill Downs officials that they will late nominate to the Kentucky Oaks

FUTURE WAGER

Betting in the third of four 2019 Kentucky Derby Future Wager pools is scheduled to open at noon (all times Eastern) on Friday and will close on Sunday at 6 p.m. The lone Kentucky Oaks Future Wager of 2019 also opens at noon Friday and is set to close Sunday at 6:30 p.m. Also available from March 8-10 is the Oaks/Derby Future Double. The \$2 minimum bet requires fans to correctly select the winners of both the May 3 Longines Kentucky Oaks (GI) and May 4 Kentucky Derby Presented by Woodford Reserve (GI).

KDFW FIELD

#	Horse	ML	#	Horse	ML
1	Another twistafate	50-1	1	Bellafina	5-1
2	Bourbon War	12-1	2	Brill	30-1
3	Code of Honor	8-1	3	Champagne Anyone	20-1
4	Country House	50-1	4	Chasing Yesterday	8-1
5	Dream Maker	50-1	5	Dunbar Road	20-1
6	Galilean	50-1	6	Enaya Alrabb	15-1
7	Game Winner	5-1	7	Eres Tu	30-1
8	Gunmetal Gray	30-1	8	Feedback	20-1
9	Harvey Wallbanger	30-1	9	Graceful Princess	50-1
10	Hidden Scroll	12-1	10	Jaywalk	8-1
11	Improbable	8-1	11	Jeltrin	15-1
12	Instagrاند	10-1	12	Liora	15-1
13	Intrepid Heart	50-1	13	Marathon Queen	50-1
14	Mind Control	30-1	14	Mother Mother	10-1
15	Mucho Gusto	20-1	15	Motion Emotion	50-1
16	Roadster	15-1	16	Orra Moor	50-1
17	Signalman	30-1	17	Point of Honor	30-1
18	Spinoff	50-1	18	Power Gal (JPN)	50-1
19	Tax	30-1	19	Queen of Beas	50-1
20	Vekoma	20-1	20	Restless Rider	8-1
21	War of Will	10-1	21	Serengeti Empress	10-1
22	Well Defined	50-1	22	Tasting the Stars	50-1
23	Win Win Win	50-1	23	Violencia	50-1
24	Mutuel Field	4-1	24	Mutuel Field	8-1

KOFW FIELD

TAKING SHAPE

The possible fields for Kentucky Derby Championship Series races are fluid as horsemen vie for points on the "Road to the Kentucky Derby presented by Woodford Reserve." Below are known horses mentioned to be under consideration for each race based on published news reports and other sources:

REBEL (GII)

Saturday, March 16, \$1 million, 3yo, 1 1/16 M, Oaklawn Park, Hot Springs, Ark., Top 4 Points: 50-20-10-5.

Horse (Points)	Trainer	Brisnet.com Prime Power	Run Style
Known Likely Starters:			
Galilean (0)	Jerry Hollendorfer	140.5	E 8
Omaha Beach (0)	Richard Mandella	135.2	E/P 7
Mucho Gusto (14)	Bob Baffert	136.4	E/P 7
Known Possible Starters:			
Game Winner (30)	Bob Baffert	153.6	E/P 4
Improbable (10)	Bob Baffert	144.7	E/P 7
Long Range Toddy (16)	Steve Asmussen	134.9	E/P 7
Our Braintrust (6)	Mark Casse	133.8	E/P 7
Sueno (8)	Keith Desormeaux	133.7	P 5
Six Shooter (2)	Paul Holthus	130.7	P 3

TWINSPIRES.COM LOUISIANA DERBY (GII)

Saturday, March 23, \$1 million, 3yo, 1 1/8 M, Fair Grounds, New Orleans, La., Top 4 Points: 100-40-20-10.

Horse (Points)	Trainer	Brisnet.com Prime Power	Run Style
Known Likely Starters:			
War of Will (60)	Mark Casse	145.0	E/P 7
Country House (20)	Bill Mott	130.9	S 2
Hog Creek Hustle (9)	Vickie Foley	130.2	S 2
Known Possible Starters:			
Roiland (10)	Tom Amoss	129.3	P 0

SUNLAND DERBY (GII)

Sunday, March 24, \$800,000, 3yo, 1 1/8 M, Sunland Park, Hobbs, N.M., Top 4 Points: 50-20-10-5.

Horse (Points)	Trainer	Brisnet.com Prime Power	Run Style
Known Likely Starters:			
Another twistafate (10)	Blaine Wright	137.2	E 8
+Hustle Up (0)	Todd Fincher	137.0	E 8
Known Possible Starters:			
Mucho Gusto (14)	Bob Baffert	136.4	E/P 7
Cutting Humor (0)	Todd Pletcher	135.9	P 4

UAE DERBY (GII)

Saturday, March 30, \$2.5 million, 3yo, 1 3/16 M, Meydan Racecourse, Dubai, Top 4 Points: 100-40-20-10.

Horse (Points)	Trainer
Known Possible Starters:	
+Estihdaaf (0)	Saeed bin Suroor
+Golden Jaguar (0)	Ahmad bin Harmash
+Moshaher (0)	Doug Watson
+Red Cactus (0)	Bent Olsen
Plus Que Parfait (4)	Brendan Walsh
Tone Broke (1)	Steve Asmussen
Superior (0)	Ahmad bin Harmash
Walking Thunder (0)	Ahmad bin Harmash

FLORIDA DERBY (GI)

Saturday, March 30, \$1 million, 3yo, 1 1/8 M, Gulfstream Park, Hallandale Beach, Fla., Top 4 Points: 100-40-20-10.

Horse (Points)	Trainer	Brisnet.com Prime Power	Run Style
Known Likely Starters:			
Vekoma (10)	George Weaver	141.1	P 5
Code of Honor (54)	Shug McGaughey	138.9	P 2
Bourbon War (21)	Mark Hennig	134.9	S 0
Harvey Wallbanger (10)	Kenny McPeck	129.0	S 0
Known Possible Starters:			
Hidden Scroll (5)	Bill Mott	140.8	E 6

WOOD MEMORIAL (GII)

Saturday, April 6, \$750,000, 3yo, 1 1/8 M, Aqueduct, Ozone, N.Y., Top 4 Points: 100-40-20-10.

Horse (Points)	Trainer	Brisnet.com Prime Power	Run Style
Known Likely Starters:			
Tax (12)	Danny Gargan	137.8	E/P 7
Known Possible Starters:			
Vekoma (10)	George Weaver	141.1	P 5
Hidden Scroll (5)	Bill Mott	140.8	E 6
Code of Honor (54)	Shug McGaughey	138.9	P 2
Bourbon War (21)	Mark Hennig	134.9	S 0
Nolo Contesto (0)	John Sadler	130.2	E/P 5

BLUE GRASS (GII)

Saturday, April 6, \$1 million, 3yo, 1 1/8 M, Keeneland, Lexington, Ky., Top 4
Points: 100-40-20-10.

<u>Horse (Points)</u>	<u>Trainer</u>	<u>Brisnet.com Prime Power</u>	<u>Run Style</u>
Known Likely Starters:			
Signalman (18)	Kenny McPeck	135.9	P 1
Known Possible Starters:			
Vekoma (10)	George Weaver	141.1	P 5
Hidden Scroll (5)	Bill Mott	140.8	E 6
Code of Honor (54)	Shug McGaughey	138.9	P 2
Knicks Go (18)	Ben Colebrook	134.3	E 7
Nolo Contesto (0)	John Sadler	130.2	E/P 5

SANTA ANITA DERBY (GI)

Saturday, April 6, \$1 million, 3yo, 1 1/8 M, Santa Anita, Arcadia, Calif., Top 4
Points: 100-40-20-10.

<u>Horse (Points)</u>	<u>Trainer</u>	<u>Brisnet.com Prime Power</u>	<u>Run Style</u>
Known Possible Starters:			
Game Winner (30)	Bob Baffert	153.8	E/P 4
Roadster (0)	Bob Baffert	135.0	E/P 7
Nolo Contesto (0)	John Sadler	130.2	E/P 5

ARKANSAS DERBY (GI)

Saturday, April 13, \$1 million, 3yo, 1 1/8 M, Oaklawn Park, Hot Springs, Ark.,
Top 4 Points: 100-40-20-10.

<u>Horse (Points)</u>	<u>Trainer</u>	<u>Brisnet.com Prime Power</u>	<u>Run Style</u>
Known Possible Starters:			
Game Winner (30)	Bob Baffert	153.8	E/P 4
Improbable (10)	Bob Baffert	144.9	E/P 7
Vekoma (10)	George Weaver	141.1	P 5
Gray Attempt (10)	Jinks Fires	132.9	E 8
Nolo Contesto (0)	John Sadler	130.2	E/P 5
Lemniscate (0)	Kenny McPeck	127.1	E 8

LEXINGTON (GIII)

Saturday, April 13, \$200,000, 3yo, 1 1/16 M, Keeneland, Lexington, Ky., Top
4 Points: 20-8-4-2.

<u>Horse (Points)</u>	<u>Trainer</u>	<u>Brisnet.com Prime Power</u>	<u>Run Style</u>
Known Possible Starters:			
Knicks Go (18)	Ben Colebrook	134.3	E 7

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